

## **LISTING OF THE CLAIMS**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Canceled).

2. (Previously Presented) The connection of claim 7, wherein the projection is formed around at least one of the connecting elements.

3. (Previously Presented) The connection of claim 2, wherein the projection comprises a bolt.

4. (Previously Presented) The connection of claim 3, wherein the projection includes a threaded section to receive the bolt.

5. (Previously Presented) A connection between a wheel bearing and a wheel carrier comprising:

connecting elements only connecting the wheel carrier and a fixed part of the wheel bearing; and

at least one projection, integrated with at least one of the fixed part of the wheel bearing, the wheel carrier and the connecting elements, transmitting to the wheel carrier a torque acting in the fixed part of the wheel bearing during braking;

the fixed part of the wheel bearing structured to couple to a brake caliper,

wherein the projection comprises a bolt and a threaded section to receive the bolt, the projection being formed around at least one of the connecting elements, and

wherein the wheel carrier has a receiving aperture therein and the projection is expandable by screwing the bolt into the threaded section of the projection so that the projection frictionally engages with the receiving aperture of the wheel carrier.

6. (Previously Presented) The connection of claim 4, wherein the fixed part of the wheel bearing comprises a flange.

7. (Currently Amended) A connection between a wheel bearing and a wheel carrier comprising:

connecting elements only connecting the wheel carrier and a fixed part of the wheel bearing; and

at least one projection, integrated with at least one of the fixed part of the wheel bearing, the wheel carrier and the connecting elements, transmitting to the wheel carrier a torque acting in the fixed part of the wheel bearing during braking, the at least one of said projections projection having a hole therethrough;

the fixed part of the wheel bearing structured to couple to a brake caliper.